

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS**

RYAN, LLC

Plaintiff

v.

3:24-cv-986-E

Civil Action No.

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Defendant

**CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PERSONS/DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

(This form also satisfies Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.1)

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.1 and LR 3.1(c), LR 3.2(e), LR 7.4, LR 81.1(a)(4)(D), and LR 81.2,  
Ryan, LLC

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provides the following information:

For a nongovernmental corporate party, the name(s) of its parent corporation and any publicly held corporation that owns 10% or more of its stock (if none, state "None"):

***\*Please separate names with a comma. Only text visible within box will print.***

Onex Corporation (TXS:ONEX), Ares Management Corporation (NYSE: ARES)

A complete list of all persons, associations of persons, firms, partnerships, corporations, guarantors, insurers, affiliates, parent or subsidiary corporations, or other legal entities that are financially interested in the outcome of the case:

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Ryan, LLC is a private limited liability company. Its member holding companies are Ryan Direct Holdings, LLC, Ryan Tax Holdings, Inc., and Onex Ryan LLC. Ryan, LLC also identifies Onex Corporation (TXS:ONEX) and Ares Management Corporation (NYSE: ARES) as interested persons. Additionally, Ryan, LLC has over 200 principals and a small number of other employees who are subject to non-competes affected by the rulemaking.

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